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Morning Cable Report

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WUCHANG, China, December 8.—All indications now point to the ending of the rebellion in the northern and middle provinces, as General Li Yuan-Heng, commander of the revolutionary army, and other leaders of the rebels, yesterday decided to accept a constitutional monarchy form of government under the leadership of Premier Yuan Shih Kai, or some other satisfactory ruler.

It is announced that this decision has been reached by the leaders to avoid further bloodshed and the possible disruption of the country, as well as the danger of intervention by the foreign powers should complications follow further warfare.

PEKING, December 8.—An edict was issued yesterday under the auspices of the premier sanctioning the cutting off of queues by all who desire to do so. The armistice between the imperialists and the revolutionists has been continued until December 21, pending negotiations for a permanent peace.

In a number of the rebellious provinces tribute to the throne has again been commenced, which is considered an encouraging sign that peace is in sight.

SHANGHAI, December 8.—The five southern provinces have issued a statement reiterating the demand for the abdication of the emperor and the establishment of a republican form of government.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 7.—According to reports here, the attempt of General Yuan Shih Kai, the Chinese leader, to secure a foreign loan for the imperial government, has failed.

WASHINGTON, December 8.—The McNamara ways and means committee of the American Federation of Labor issued a statement yesterday in which the McNamaras, until their confession the heroes of the labor unions, are branded as recreant to the good name and high ideals of organized labor. The statement also expresses the satisfaction of organized labor that the culprits have been commensurately punished for their crimes, and condemns the McNamaras for their inhumanity.

It declares that organized labor should not be held legally or morally responsible for the crimes of individuals.

LOS ANGELES, December 8.—Following the municipal election here in which Job Harriman, the Socialist candidate, was beaten for mayor by George Alexander, the Socialist central committee has announced that it will proceed to conduct a statewide campaign of propaganda, especially among the women.

SALT LAKE CITY, December 8.—The local federal authorities have seized the books of the ironworkers' union and have summoned the business agent of the organization to appear before the federal grand jury.

ONE-THIRD WAS MISSING.

Following the Civil War there came to this state a large number of liberated slaves, and land owners on the south part of the state let out their lands to the negroes "on the shares," or for payment of the rent with a part of the products.

It is related that in one of the counties a land owner let out about one hundred acres under such rental conditions to several negroes, a small number of acres going to each. The rental was to be one-third of the crop, delivered to the land owner.

When time came for harvesting the

corn, which was the chief crop raised, the owner rode out to his farm. On the way he met one of his tenants with a load of corn, going to market.

"Jake," said the owner, "when you husk my third of the corn, I wish you would haul it to the mill in town. I have decided not to store it down on the farm."

"Deed, massa Frank," responded the negro, "funny thing bout dat corn crop. I was goin' to give you one-third, but sho when I went out an' shucked it dey was only two-thirds, des two loads lak dis yere, an' dey's bof mine."—Indianapolis News.

MISS ARNOLD PASSES THE 200,000 MARK

The Star's popularity as an advertising medium has become so great that in spite of the fact that the paper is now the biggest in the city it has been impossible to give space daily to the list of contestants in The Star's Great \$3000 Prize Contest. Accordingly it has been decided to publish the list but once each week, and this will be done in each Saturday's issue.

Each day, however, a brief summary will be made of the important changes in the standing of contestants, while the Saturday issue will contain the complete revised list.

The principal feature of note today is that Miss Arnold has passed the 200,000 mark in her score. Up to noon today she had secured 203,582 votes. While this is a big lead on any of the other contestants, it is rumored that several of the other candidates have promises of "Christmas presents" in the form of subscriptions from their friends which will push their scores far towards the top—if indeed it does not create a new leader.

Double-Count Week.
Contestants should not forget that beginning tomorrow morning (December 9) and continuing until Saturday night, December 16, all subscriptions turned in to the contest department will be given double credit. This is a chance to boost your standing very materially and every worker should impress upon his or her friends the

importance of subscribing for The Star during this time. After December 16, positively no votes will be counted doubly, except those from outside of Honolulu, which show by the postmark that they were mailed within the proper time.

General Count on 16th.
Don't forget also, that the second period of the Contest will end on Saturday, December 16, and that all subscriptions taken before that date must be in the office or in the mail before 5 o'clock on that date to receive any credit at all. After that date, all subscriptions turned in must show by their date that they have not been held back.

Book Bonuses Continue Popular.
It is so easy for every candidate to get a few subscriptions, even though he may not have time or inclination to work hard enough to get one of the "Big Ten" prizes, that a great many of the "little workers" have shown much interest in The Star's liberal book offer made ten days ago. It only requires one new yearly subscription to the Daily Star to get 3000 votes, and this number of votes gets one of the splendid volumes of modern fiction which The Star is offering. Some of the real hustlers have already secured from five to ten of these books. The books are alone worth working for, even if the votes did not count on your score to a big prize, as they do.

MOTOR LINERS SOON TO CROSS ATLANTIC

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Developments in connection with the construction of motor-driven ships are making such progress that no fewer than 12 ocean-going vessels of the type are at present being built.

Moreover, according to T. L. Devitt, plans have been prepared for a vessel of 14,000 tons, which will be fitted with internal combustion engines.

Two motor liners of about 5000 tons each are in hand on the Elbe and Weser for the Hamburg-American Line. It is expected that they will be ready early next year. Two large motor-driven vessels, built for the Danish East Asiatic Company, have been launched within the last fortnight.

These vessels will have no funnels and no boilers. The funnels from the engineroom will be led up inside one of the masts and exhausted at a height of 48 feet above the deck.

As the machinery space on this type of vessel is only about one-third that which would be necessary for steam engines, much greater room will be available for passengers and cargo, while there will be an entire absence of smoke and of the dirt caused by coal.

Moreover, the engines can be started in five minutes, as compared with the 15 hours required to raise steam with boilers.

MAKING RANCHES INTO FARMS.

Driving along the streets of San Antonio—"San Antonio," the Texans call it—you pass at intervals luxurious homes shining with considerable newness.

"Whose?" you ask.
"Rich rancher—bought land for a trifle and sold out to farmers—worth half a million."

Repeated is the story until one gains the impression that the small farmer has taken the Southwest. To a degree he has—or is on the way to do so. His immigration came naturally. When the homesteads of Kansas and Nebraska had been exhausted and the Oklahoma rush had overrun the fertile Indian reservations, the only outlet remaining was the ranch country of the farther Southwest, says the Review of Reviews.

There were millions of acres used only for grazing, yet with possibilities of agriculture. Up in the Middle States were thousands of farmers seeking a place where they could obtain for investment more acres than they could buy at home. The railroads saw benefit to themselves by colonizing the unbroken ranches of the plains. Shrewd organizers were ready for a venture. Out of this came the greatest land movement known in the history of the West, not exceeding the westward trek of settlers soon after the close of the Civil War.

It was thoroughly planned. Tons of "literature" were scattered through the agricultural states of the Mississippi valley. Special rates were made for homeseekers' excursions. Twice a month "home-seekers' day" saw the trains run in four to five sections, each filled from the front seat of the "smoker" to the rear berth of the last Pullman. Land companies were equipped with their own special cars, with dozens of automobiles at the destination and the pick of the wide-awake, hustling agents who could paint the prospects in the most glowing colors.

STRAUSS OPERA EXPURGATED.

BERLIN, November 18.—It is a remarkable fact that Dr. Richard Strauss's latest and most successful opera, "Der Rosenkavalier," had been played in almost all the important towns of Germany before the Royal Manager of Plays, Count von Hulsén, allowed it to be produced in Berlin, where Doctor Strauss occupies the position of musical director.

This anomaly has now been ended, but it is rumored, only after a long conflict with the Empress, who energetically opposed the performance in any of the royal theaters.

The libretto was far too free for the Empress, and the performance has been rendered possible only by eliminating numerous passages which the Empress did not consider suitable for the German public.

The whole text has been remodeled to suit the Empress's ideas, and now it is in harmony with the high standard of morality that is supposed to prevail in Berlin.

GOOD FOR HEEN.

Deputy County Attorney Heen returned last week from Kona where he handled the criminal calendar before Judge Matthewman. Out of six criminal cases, Heen prosecuted in four, securing convictions in every case. The two other criminal cases were handled by private prosecutors, who lost both.—Hilo Tribune.

DAVIS HAS PAINS TO NO PURPOSE

Refusing to work with George A. Davis on a case that had been assigned to him by the court, claiming that Davis had butted in with the intention of grabbing the fee, E. A. C. Long yesterday asked Judge Clemens to relieve him as counsel of record in the matter of George M. Curtis, accused of opium smuggling. As a result, the judge relieved Long and appointed Davis, thus making it impossible for Davis to collect a fee. An attorney appointed by the court to defend a prisoner supposed to be without funds is not permitted to take a fee, so Davis is apparently hoist by his own petard.

Long explained that after he had been appointed by the court to defend Curtis, he was called up on the phone by Attorney Hitting, who asked leave to be associated with him. To this Long gladly agreed. But Hitting was appointed district attorney and had to withdraw. Then, according to Long's statement, Davis butted in without so much as by your leave, secured the release of Curtis on bond, and in all the transactions never informed Long that he had anything to do with the case. Long said that, in such circumstances, he preferred to have nothing to do with the matter, and withdrew, leaving Davis alone in the field, but with his chances of a fee gone glimmering.

HILLO WHARF DISPUTE ENDED

After two sessions the Harbor Commissioners finally came to an understanding with reference to the Hilo wharf matter. It has been decided that a wharf will be built, and that it will run north and south. The width and class of wharf were decided upon. The agreement to be entered into between the Hilo Railroad Company and the Territory will soon be settled.

The commissioners passed a motion to recommend to the board that the wharf be built in a northerly and southerly direction. There is to be a slender fill near the approach to the wharf and the wharf itself is to be not less than 200 feet wide and 1400 feet long.

Accommodations for two ocean-going vessels and one inter-island steamer are to be provided. The island boat will have 250 feet of space to dock at.

The board passed a resolution to proceed immediately with the designing of a wharf 200 by 1400 feet, the question of the wharf sheds, warehouses, railroad tracks and appliances for conveying sugar being left for future planning. The superintendent of public works was authorized to send an engineer to Hilo at once to make further borings and soundings and to verify other soundings made by the Hilo Railroad Company's engineer.

A sketch of the proposed wharf will be at once prepared and then the public works department can proceed to design the structure.

The 200 feet width of the wharf will allow of 34 feet for track space, a shed 800 feet long, sunken double tracks between shed and warehouse, 30 feet wide, and warehouse 56 feet wide.

At the meeting yesterday, the Hilo Railroad Company was represented by L. A. Thurston, B. F. Dillingham, H. F. Dillingham and R. W. Miller. The Inter-Island Company was represented by Vice-President McLean, and the American-Hawaiian Company by C. P. Morse.

BOMBS FROM SKY.

TRIPOLI, November 21.—The Italians report that the Turks were repulsed in three outpost attacks yesterday with twenty-nine killed. Five aeroplanes returning to camp reported that there had been no change in the Turkish position. They succeeded in dropping bombs inside the Turkish camp, which was destroyed.

At the same time the Italian armored cruiser, Carlo Alberto, bombarded the village of Amrus and the fort of Henni, a few miles from Tripoli. A lively combat also occurred at Derma, where the Turks attacked under cover of a fog, but were driven back.

CADETS CAUGHT CHEATING.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., November 25.—For the first time in the history of the new naval academy, four cadets have been caught cheating at examinations. As a violation of the code of honor, the matter was turned over to the midshipmen for action, and the four cadets were punished immediately by their fellows with 75 demerits and restrictions for the rest of the year.

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